

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Tekmira Pharmaceuticals Corporation and
The University of British Columbia
Application No. : 09/875,805
Filed : June 5, 2001
Patent No : 6,858,224
Issued : February 22, 2005
For : METHOD OF PREVENTING AGGREGATION OF A LIPID:NUCLEIC ACID
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Docket No.: 480208.425C4

Date: March 9, 2010

Commissioner for Patents
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CHANGE IN STATUS OF SMALL ENTITY

Commissioner for Patents:

We request that the status of the above-identified invention be changed to a large entity. It has come to our attention that sub-licensing of the above application may have resulted in the applicant's no longer qualifying for small entity status. Small entity status is hereby withdrawn. We hereby authorize the commissioner to charge our deposit account in the amount of \$645.00, which is the deficiency between the amount previously paid for the 3.5 year maintenance fee and the amount due. A late maintenance fee surcharge has also been included. The fees are submitted as noted below:

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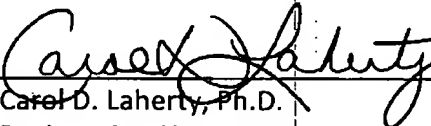
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FILING DATE OF ORIGINAL PAPER/FEE	TYPE OF FEE PAID	COLUMN A CURRENT FEE AMOUNT AS A LARGE ENTITY		COLUMN B AMOUNT ORIGINALLY PAID		DEFICIENCY (BASED ON CURRENT FEE AMOUNT)
8/22/2008	3.5 Maintenance Fee	\$980	-	\$465.00	=	\$515.00
	Surcharge					\$130.00
TOTAL FEE DEFICIENCY						\$645.00

Respectfully submitted,

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Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).

FEE TRANSMITTAL

For FY 2010

Complete if Known

Application Number	09/875,805
Filing Date	June 5, 2001
First Named Inventor	Wheeler et al.
Examiner Name	Epps-Smith, Janet L

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) **645.00**

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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

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For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply)

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FEE CALCULATION**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	330	165	540	270	220	110	_____
Design	220	110	100	50	140	70	_____
Provisional	220	110	0	0	0	0	_____

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	52	26
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	220	110
Multiple dependent claims	390	195

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims
_____ -20 or HP = _____	X	_____	= _____	Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$)

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
_____ -3 or HP = _____	X	_____	= _____

HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3.

3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$270 (\$135 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
_____ -100 = _____	/50 = _____	(round up to a whole number)	x _____	_____

4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): 130.00


Deficiency for 3.5 maintenance fee due to entity status change

Fees Paid (\$)

130.00

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SUBMITTED BY

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